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Our Correspondents.

Cape Girardeau

We are needing rain very badly, as wheat and oats don't look very favorable around here.

A. C. King of Zalma transacted business at this place Thursday.

The steamer St. Paul took five hundred young people from here on an excursion trip last Friday night.

A fire broke out in the Weiler Jewelry store one night last week, but it was extinguished before much damage was done.

Dan Rose, Jr., of Greenbrier was a visitor at this place last week.

Messrs. O. Whitener, H. James and C. Gladish and Misses S. Rowe, M. Monaghan and L. Evans motored over to Dutchtown, Allenville, Gordonville, Whitewater and Jackson last Sunday evening.

The Capahas played Cairo a game of ball last Sunday, the score being 10 to 1 in favor of the former. The Capahas haven't lost a game this season.

C. E. Corbin of Zalma was here last Saturday on business.

LONESOME.

Brush Creek

Health is reasonably good with the exception of a few chills.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fish and children, Mrs. Janie Cabbage and children, Blanche Abernathy and Frank Stratman visited at A. W. Rowe's Sunday.

The Sunday school convention at Greenbrier Sunday was well attended and all reported a nice time.

Edgar Fields and family visited John Hammon's Sunday.

A new son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin McKee May 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Fish visited their son Adolph, near Arab Sunday.

Sunday school was well attended Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKee visited Henry Bridges Sunday.

Walter Fish went to Marble Hill Saturday to attend commencement exercises.

D. W. Rowe purchased a new riding cultivator at Arab one day last week.

Miss Pearl Cato has gone to Bloomfield for a two weeks' visit.

As news is scarce I will ring off
Brows Eyes.

Greenbrier

As I haven't seen any news from this place for some time I will try my hand again.

Health is reasonably good.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bird and daughter, Lois, of Bell City visited at Mr. and Mrs. Frank Watkins, from Saturday until Monday.

Miss Leona Lloyd, who has employment at Marble Hill, visited home folks Saturday and Sunday and attended the Sunday school rally.

Harrison Crites returned to Joplin after a two weeks' visit with relatives.

Mrs. Ralph Baker left for her new home at Springfield, Mo., a few days ago.

The Sunday school rally was well attended. The congregation was estimated at 1000. A splendid program was rendered in the forenoon, after which dinner was served. In the afternoon a lecture was delivered on "The Improvement of the Sunday School." Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves.

Everybody is invited to attend Sunday school. Let everybody come and help make it the best in the county.

Miss Olive Miller of Dudley, Mo., was the guest of Miss Opal Camren from Sunday until Tuesday.

Fishing is getting to be the pastime these evenings.

We understand that Mr. and Mrs. Burette Howard will move into A. S. Ramsey's house Sunday. We are very glad to have them with us.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ramsey visited their parents here from Saturday until Sunday.

Misses Doris Crites, Doshia Johnson, Opal Camren Messrs Bud Ladd

and Dottson Killian were the guests of Miss Mary Long Sunday evening. JACK.

Shrum

Every one seems to be busy with his farm work these days.

Rev. J. P. Yount filled his regular appointment Saturday and Sunday at New Salem church.

C. H. Rhodes and daughter were shopping in Lutesville Saturday.

Merchant J. M. Shrum says strawberries will soon be ripe and he has lots of them.

Mr. Shrum of near Yount's store attended church at New Salem and visited friends Sunday.

The remains of Mrs. Frank Zimmerman who died in Lutesville was interred in the Lutesville cemetery Sunday afternoon May 14. The bereaved family has our sympathy.

Joe M. Shrum and R. L. Sample had business in Burfordville Monday.

Miss Jennie Shrum of Dunklin county, who has been visiting relatives and friends here the last week, returned home Friday her little nephew accompanying her.

A READER.

Bessville

Miss Ethel Chostner of Marble Hill visited her cousins, Misses Mary and Minnie Yount, here last week.

Harrison Slinkard and family of Marble Hill visited relatives in this vicinity Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. D. W. Hussong of Lutesville conducted the funeral of Richard Black at Union cemetery Saturday.

Mrs. George Welch, who has been visiting relatives at Zalma and Marble Hill a few days, returned home Monday.

Grandma Huffman is spending a few days with her son, S. B. Huffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Rena Parsons have moved to the Gum house in Bessville.

William Braswell of Marquand attended church at Union Sunday.

"Uncle Doc" Kinder and family of Fredericktown visited Aunt Mary Bowman last week.

Miss Annie Whitener is visiting her brother, Charles, at Farmington. Mothers' day was observed at Union church with a short program.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Sizze, a fine daughter.

Several of our people attended to business at Grisham Spur Monday.

Attorneys Williams and Morgan of Marble Hill were here transacting business in Esq. Venable's court Monday.

DAISY.

Glen Allen

Health is fairly good. Farmers are busy planting corn. Strawberry picking is the order of the day.

Mr. Habs of Lutesville is doing some work on the bank building at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Shrum, who have been visiting her mother at Fredericktown the last week, returned home Monday.

Chas. Gibbs took a car load of hogs to St. Louis Monday.

Miss Winnie Lang is visiting her sister, Mrs. M. F. Winters, at this place.

Pink Revelle of Marble Hill was seen driving thru our town Sunday with his best girl.

George Bowman of De Soto came down Sunday to visit friends, returning Tuesday.

"Uncle Dolph" Gibbs went to St. Louis Monday to visit his daughter, Mrs. Etta Harris.

Miss Bessie Talent, who is staying at Marble Hill, visited home folks Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. McGregor attended church at Grassy Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Winters visited friends at Lutesville Saturday night and Sunday.

Rev. Ira Welker of Lutesville delivered very interesting sermons Saturday night and Sunday at the M. E. Church South.

Walker Hardware company, Lutesville, have several cultivators yet, bought before the advance on which they are making last year prices.

The B. Y. P. U. will give an ice cream and strawberry festival in the grove at the Baptist church Friday night, May 19. Everybody invited to attend.

Will close. Success to THE PRESS and its many readers. SALOME.

Lone Grove

Farmers are almost done planting corn.

Wheat is very poor in these parts. W. N. Nanney and daughter, Miss Viola, left Monday for a visit with relatives near Paducah, Kentucky.

Rev. J. N. Stone filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Proctor of near Burfordville visited her father, C. A. Nanney, the last of last week.

Lee Nanney and family of Gravel Hill visited his father, W. N. Nanney, Sunday.

Chas. Killian visited his cousin near Nichols chapel Saturday and Sunday.

Leo Seabough and family of Gravel Hill visited relatives near here last week.

Miss Golda Yount came home from college the first of last week.

Revs. B. Yount and Henry Heath closed a series of meetings at Harmony Sunday.

Miss Lola Dockins, who has been ill for some time, is about well again.

Misses Willie and Golda Yount are visiting their grandfather, C. M. Johnson, near Jackson.

Rev. Morris F. Gilbert of Bell City will begin a series of meetings at Lone Grove tonight (Monday). He is a well known evangelist and a great Christian worker. Come and hear him.

Dongola

Our farmers are busy plowing and planting corn.

The rain Sunday night made all vegetation take on a fresh appearance and put a broad smile on the faces of the farmers.

The wheat does not look well at all. The insects seem to be getting in their work of destruction on this valuable bread crop.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Burk Sample, a fine son. Mother and babe are getting along all right, but Burk's case seems to be rather doubtful.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bess on May 5, a fine son.

Troy Anderson, who has been at Flat River some time, returned home May 7.

Mrs. Mandy Murphy is on the pony list at this writing.

Our mail carrier had a little accident recently. His team ran away, but fortunately no damage was done except the horse was slightly injured.

Peter Winchester's male threw him and broke his arm in two places, but he is getting along as well as could be expected.

John Winchester is seriously ill with cancer of the stomach.

Mrs. Annie Harris and daughter are doing a lot of quilting these days.

Several of our men folks expect to obtain employment on the big ditch right-of-way in a short time.

Mrs. Albert Watson and children visited Mrs. Burk Sample from Saturday until Monday.

Milton Cobb visited home folks at Glen Allen Saturday night.

There were four autos in town Sunday. Dongola is coming to the front.

The Dongola boys have organized a baseball team.

Some of Henry Simon's relatives came over to assist in celebrating the 23rd anniversary of his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Overton Harris and two daughters made a business trip to Advance Thursday.

News is scarce at this place and I will close.

PAPA'S BOY.

Olathe, Colo.

EDITOR PRESS—Here I come again with a bit of news from Colorado, as I haven't seen anything from this part of the country in some time. I will give a few of the happenings.

The farmers are about done planting their potatoes.

J. W. Cooper and family attended church at Fairview yesterday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Cooper on April 24. Mother and babe are doing fine.

S. W. Berry and family attended the ball game at Olathe recently.

T. N. McKelvy sold E. L. Osborne a fine work horse one day last week.

Oscar Roatcap, Josepin and Walter Mills captured three fine cub bears in the Tapawatch basin. They now have them on exhibition in Dick-

son meat market in Olathe. They will be trained thru the summer and put on the market at Kansas City or Chicago in the fall.

The pleasant Valley school closed April 28, with a basket dinner and a nice entertainment at night.

T. N. McKelvy bought a fine mare from Robert Austin May 3.

Cottage prayer meeting was held at the home of William Easton last Thursday night, conducted by Rev. Brownell.

The fruit men are very busy now, spraying their orchards. T. N. McKelvy is helping G. P. Broughton with his spraying.

Carl Westeson is going into the sheep business. He has 3,000 head. Carl knows how to make money.

I will close with best wishes to the good old Press and its many readers.

As ever, T. N. Mc.

County Clerk's Notice of Primary Election

State of Missouri, county of Bollinger, ss.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

Notice is hereby given that a primary election will be held at the regular polling places in each precinct of said county of Bollinger, on the first Tuesday of August, 1916, being the 1st day of August, 1916, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the following offices to be voted for at the general election to be held on Tuesday, the 7th day of November, 1916, to-wit:

Senator in Congress for Missouri,

Governor,

Lieutenant Governor,

State Auditor,

State Treasurer,

Attorney General,

Judge of Supreme Court, (Division No. One),

Judge of Supreme Court, (Division No. Two—unexpired term),

Judge of Kansas City Court of Appeals,

Judge of Springfield Court of Appeals,

Judge of St. Louis Court of Appeals,

Representative in Congress, Thirteenth District,

State Senator for Twenty-first District,

Judge of the Circuit Court for the Twenty-seventh Judicial Circuit,

Member of the House of Representatives,

Judge of the County Court, First District,

Judge of the County Court, Second District,

Prosecuting Attorney,

Sheriff,

Assessor,

Treasurer,

Coroner,

Public Administrator,

Surveyor,

Constable of Union township,

Constable of Whitewater township,

Constable of Crooked Creek township,

Constable of German township,

Constable of Lorraine township,

Constable of Fillmore township,

Constable of Wayne township,

Constable of Liberty township.

STATE OF MISSOURI,

County of Bollinger, ss.

I, Oscar W. Yount, clerk of the County Court of Bollinger county, Missouri, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct statement of the offices to be made nominations for at the Primary election to be held on Tuesday, August 1, 1916.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court at office in Marble Hill, Missouri, this 11th day of May, A. D., 1916.

OSCAR W. YOUNT,

Clerk of County Court.

Trustee's Sale

Whereas William A. Webber and Marietta Webber (formerly Marietta Peale) by their certain deed of trust dated the 1st day of August, 1912, and recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds for the county of Bollinger, state of Missouri, in book 61, page 215, conveyed to the undersigned trustee, the following described real estate, situated in the county of Bollinger, state of Missouri, to-wit:

The south one-half (1/2) of the north-east quarter (1/4), section nineteen (19), township thirty-one (31), north of range nine (9) east, in said Bollinger county, Missouri.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust, to secure the payment of a certain note in said deed specified; and, whereas, said note is now past due and remains unpaid, now

Therefore, at the request of the legal holder of said note, and in pursuance of the conditions in said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee, will sell the property above described at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the courthouse, in said county of Bollinger, state of Missouri, on

FRIDAY, JUNE 9, 1916,

between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m., and 5 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

S. P. PRESNELL, Trustee.

Marble Hill, Mo., May 16, 1916.

"De world may owe you a livin'!" said Uncle Eben, "but you's got to push de claim, ca'se de world ain't sittin' up nights worryin' 'bout its debts."

Recompense
Straight through my heart this fact today

By Truth's own hand is driven—
God never takes one thing away
But something else is given.

I did not know in earlier years,
This law of love and kindness;
I only mourned through bitter tears
My loss in sorrow's blindness.

But, ever following each regret
O'er some departed treasure,
My sad, repining heart was met
With unexpected pleasure.

I thought it only happened so;
But time this truth has taught me—
No least thing from my life can go
But something else is brought me.

Is it the law, complete, sublime;
And now, with faith unshaken,
In patience I but wait my time
When any joy is taken.

No matter if the crushing blow
May for a moment down me,
Still, back of it waits love, I know,
With something else to crown me.

—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

Why Alcohol Makes Men Seem Brave

Much that has been written in the past concerning the use of alcohol has been colored by sentiment and moral considerations rather than facts concerning health, but careful studies carried out by scientific methods have at last taught us the truth concerning the use of alcohol.

First, it is an irritant to the lining membrane of the stomach. Second, it retards digestion and, in large quantities, arrests it by a depression of the nervous and circulatory system. Death is not infrequently caused from large quantities taken on an empty stomach. It invariably has a paralyzing effect on the nervous system. All those effects which we usually considered as stimulating are due to partial paralysis in one way or another. For many years alcohol has been absolutely forbidden to those exposed to extreme cold, like Arctic explorers.

Its apparently stimulating effect on the physical functions is due to loss of control. Judgment and sense of proportion are lost and the emotional nature comes into play. The courage displayed by a drunk man is due again to paralysis of judgment causing him to lose the sense of danger. The energy displayed is due to the partial paralysis which deadens the sense of fatigue given to us normally as a safeguard against over-exertion. The gesticulations are due to the loss of control over the brain centers, a foolish waste of energy coupled with lack of self-restraint.

It is a common habit to take alcohol to alleviate the "blues" or mental depression. It does this again by paralysis of the higher centers, and the reaction comes with double force.

The question as to whether or not it is a food has been much debated. A small amount of it can be burned up and used as fuel, but at the best it is a very expensive sort of food and a very dangerous one, according to Dr. M. P. Ravenel of the department of preventive medicine of the University of Missouri at Columbia. Alcohol as a food is a joke, he says.

A collective investigation by 43 life insurance companies, extending over 25 years, and embracing 2,000,000 lives, showed that saloon keepers have a death rate of 70 per cent in excess of normal. Even "moderate" drinkers accepted by the companies as "good risks," showed a death rate 50 per cent in excess of the normal expectancy.

Some people will use alcohol in spite of the facts against it. If used at all, it should be taken only on the advice of a competent physician, and unfortunately too many physicians have not studied the question thoroughly and are too free in giving this advice. It should always be taken well diluted and never on an empty stomach. The safest thing is to leave it alone. This is especially true for young people.

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meets Saturday evening on or before the full moon in each month, and two weeks after. Transient brethren are cordially invited. S. A. MARTIN, W. M.

J. W. CHANDLER, Secretary.

The Infinite Lesson

We are all of us learning our lessons, Still children at school, in a way, With a spirit for toil and adventure And a hunger and yearning for play— And some of us dream in our triumphs And some of us think of our care, And some of us struggle in patience, And some of us struggle in prayer; But the truth of it all is the lesson Life teaches to those in the light— That only the right shall triumph, And there's nothing worth while but the right.

—Baltimore Sun.

What is the test of good manners? It is the being able to put up pleasantly with bad ones.—I. Gahriel.

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